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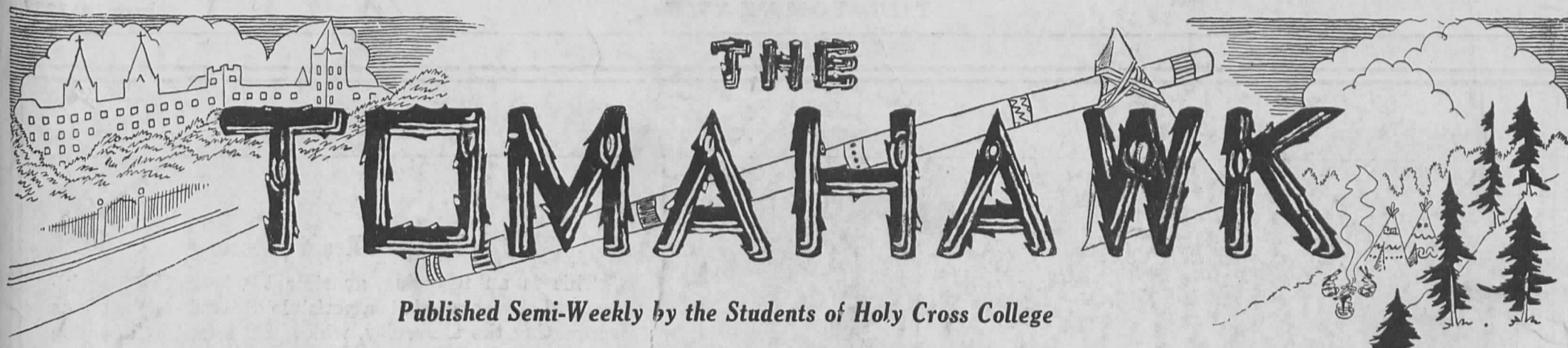


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No 59.



WILLIAM J. BUTLER
Valedictorian
Editor of Purple Patcher



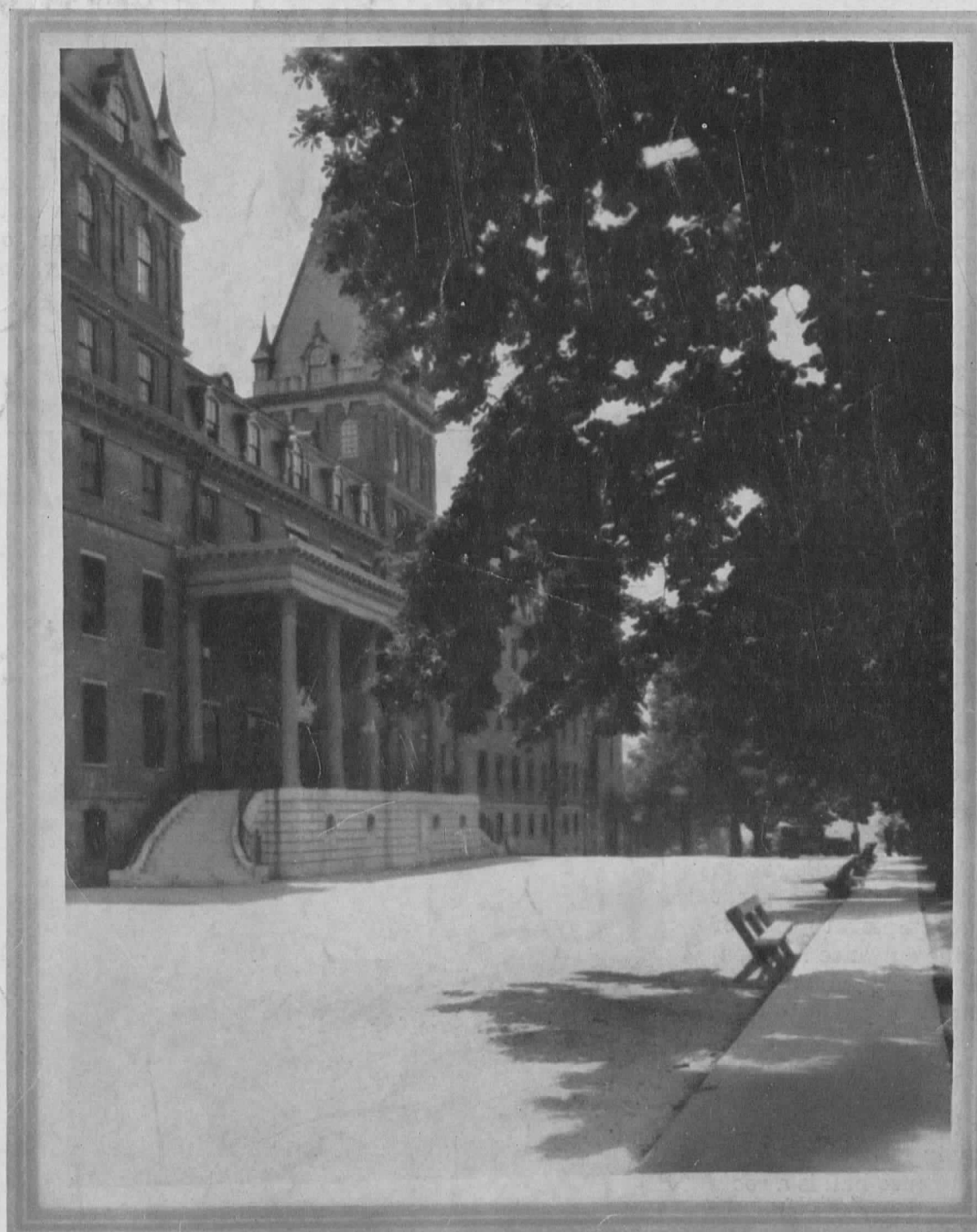
ROBERT A. LILLY
Permanent Class Marshal



WILLIAM T. GRIFFIN
Salutatorian
Editor of The Purple



JOHN A. FINN, JR.
Class President for Three Years



COMMENCEMENT PORCH



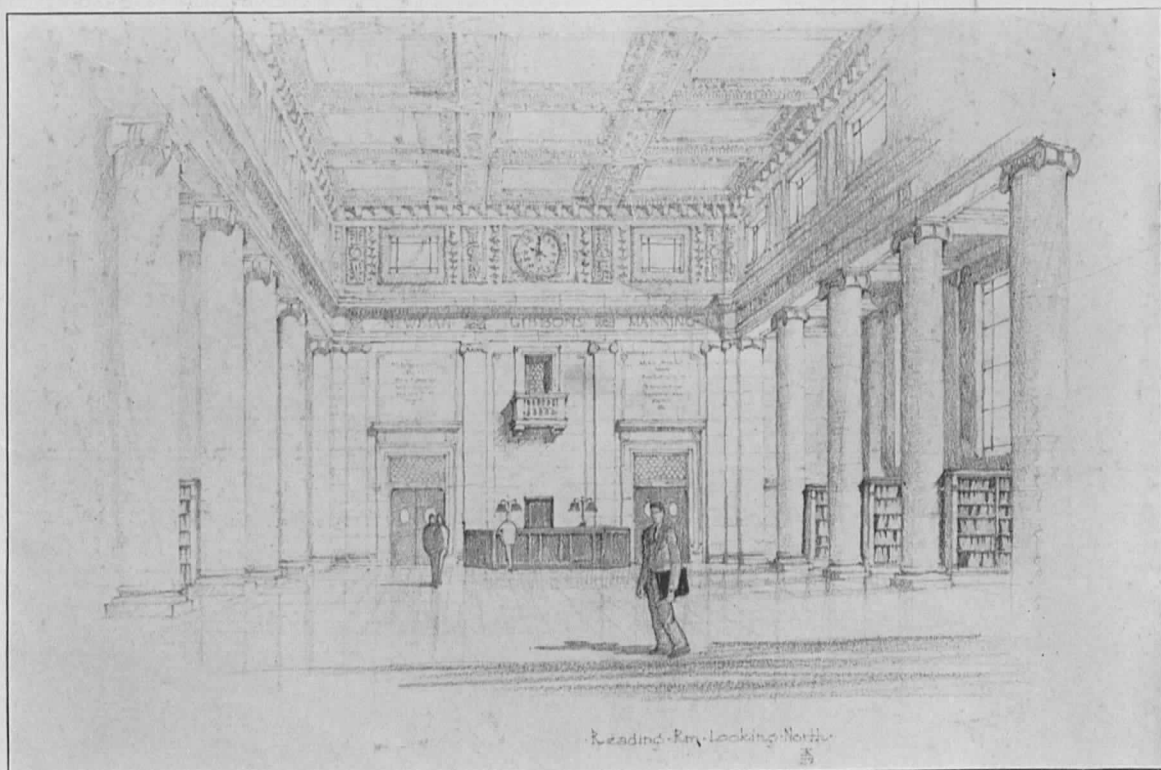
FRANCIS J. CRAVEN
Chairman of Senior Prom



THOMAS F. RYAN
Commencement Speaker
President of Nexus Club



ROBERT T. DWYER
Commencement Speaker
Senior Class President



The Main Reading Room

This is an imposing apartment whose chief architectural characteristic is a peristyle of handsome columns supporting the clerestory, which will admit of dignified natural lighting for the room. The view here given shows the entrance doors at the north end of the room with the delivery desk between, and visitors' gallery above.

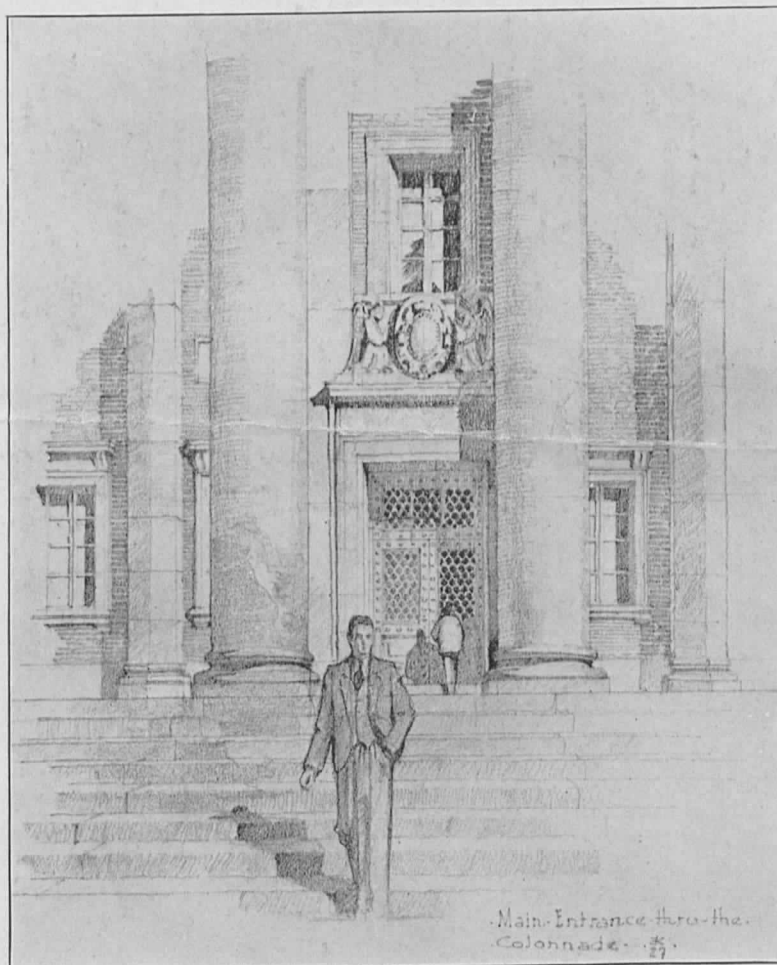
This room, like the entrance hall, is wholly of stone, and the deeply coffered ceiling is richly decorated in purple and gold. The perimeter of the room defined by this feature is marked by a series of bookcases with alternating tables coming immediately underneath the lower series of the windows.

From the delivery desk a book lift communicates with the stack room below; a staircase on the south end of the room supplements this communication.

The Main Entrance

A notable element in the design of the portal is the lofty colonnade which unites the two pavilions in the facade, rising to a height of thirty-five feet. This feature with the main wall of the building frames a long, open gallery, which will be a pleasant resting place at the head of the ascent.

The exterior character of the building is in the architectural style of the Italian Renaissance. The materials in which it is rendered are Indiana limestone and a pleasing combination of brick. The steps of the great approach leading from the main avenue are of granite.



Dedication, October 8th

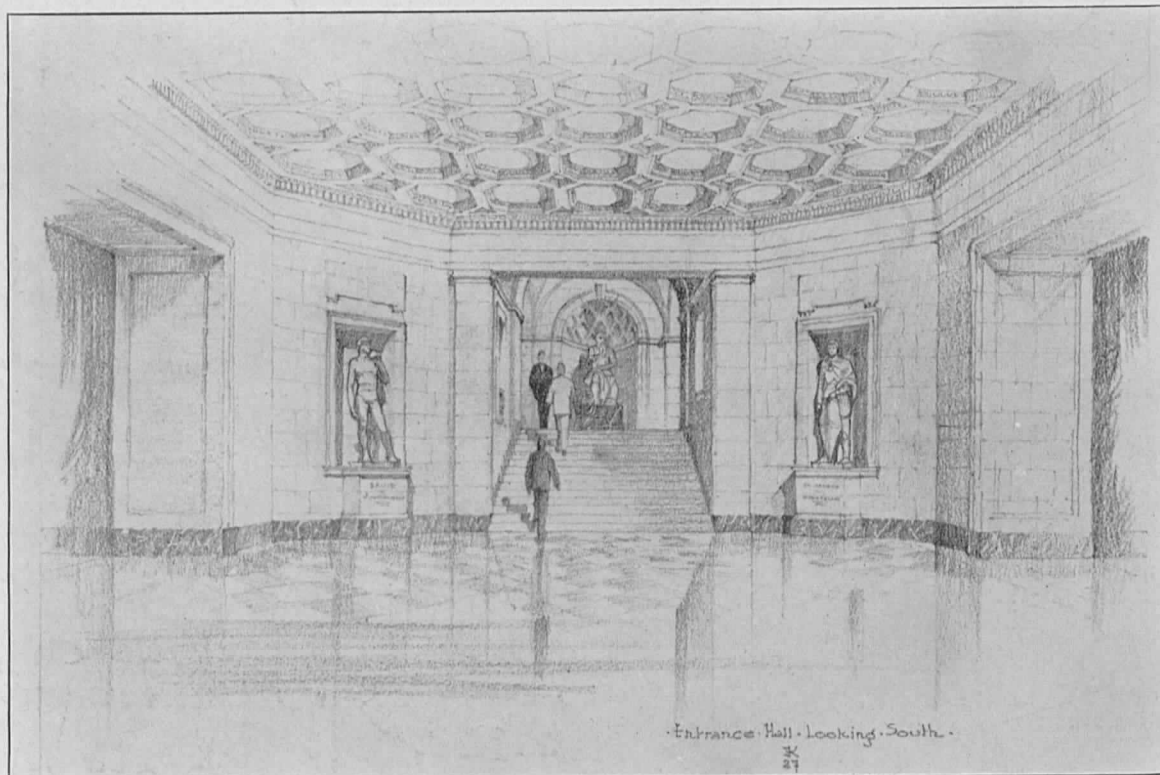
The date for the formal dedication ceremonies has been set for October 8. This coincides with the date of the annual Fathers' Day, a custom instituted in 1925 and which now brings hundreds of parents to view the life of the undergraduate from an intimate angle.

Final plans and details of these exercises have not been made public, but it is intimated that the ceremonies will be commensurate with the dignity and importance of the latest addition to the group of buildings on Pakachoag.

The library will be open today and tomorrow so that all who are interested may have an opportunity of inspecting the building, now rapidly nearing completion.

The Entrance Hall

From the main doorway a vestibule leads to the large entrance hall, out of which, on the main axis, rises a short flight of steps communicating with the main reading room with ample foreground, a feature of which is a great niche designed to be occupied by a sculptural group of fitting character. On either side of the entrance hall spacious corridors communicate with the museum on the west, and a room for periodicals and magazines on the east. These rooms are finished with simple paneled ceilings, with a large stone fireplace at the end of the periodical room. The librarian's suite, composed of a large office with stenographers' office and public waiting room is accessible directly from the lobby in front of the main reading room. Convenient to the entrance hall is a room for exhibitions on one side and a reception room, slightly smaller in size, on the other.





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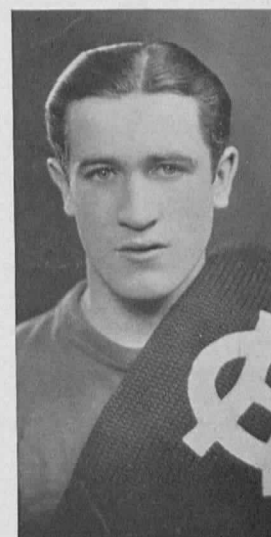
Bottom Row, Left to Right—J. Courtney McGroarty, John W. Coddair, Charles A. R. Connor, Robert T. Dwyer, Thomas P. Lennon, William F. Hebert, Edward A. Cunningham, William J. Butler. Rear Row—August H. Groeschel, Thomas F. Ryan, Adrian P. Burke, William T. Griffin, Walter J. Cuskley, Timothy E. Murphy, John J. McInerney.



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Manager of Baseball



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Captain of Football



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THE 1927 BASEBALL TEAM

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